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EO 11652: NA
TAGS: EAGR ETRD SL
SUBJ: COFFEE PRICES

REF: STATE 302391

1. IN REPLY TO REFTEL PARA 2:

A. CURRENT RETAIL PRICE OF LOCALLY GROWN AND GROUND COFFEE
IS ABOUT U.S. DOLS1.40 PER LB. IMPORTED BRANDSXF INSTANT
COFFEE ARE ABOUT U.S. DOLS8.50 PER LB.

B. FOR ROBUSTA BEANS, APPROXIMATELY US DOLS.50 PER LB.

C. ALL EXPORT IS THROUGH SIERRA LEONE PRODUCE MARKETING
BOARD (SLPMB). FORTY PERCENT OF SLPMB EXPORT PRICE IS EXPORT
DUTY.

D. SLPMB HAS RECENTLY ANNOUNCED PRICES PAID PRODUCERS FOR
ROBUSTA COFFEE WILL BE INCREASED FEB. 1977 FROM CURRENT US
DOLS.39 TO US DOLS.50.

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E. GOVERNMENT HAS NOT RECENTLY LAUNCHED ANY NEW PROGRAMS.
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